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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW  
(PATENT, BIOTECHNOLOGY, COMPUTER,  
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Application Number: 08/844,731  
Filing Date.: April 21, 1997  
First Named Inventor: Brod  
Title: Methods of Treating Autoimmune Diseases Using  
Type One Interferons  
Group Art Unit: 1761  
Examiner Name: Sayala, C.D.  
Attorney Docket No.: D5716CIP3

MS RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
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### REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:
  - a. ☒ Previously submitted
    - i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on May 19, 2004
    - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. ☐ Enclosed.
    - i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
    - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declarations
    - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
    - iv. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Miscellaneous:

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_ ( ) months.
- b. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

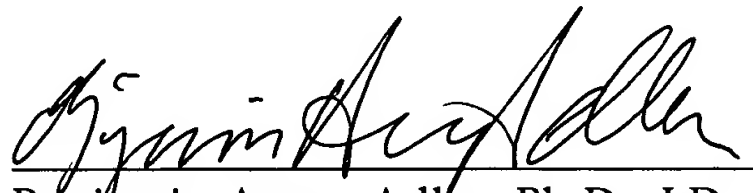
3. Fees:

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 07-1185
- i. ☒ RCE fee (\$385) required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
  - ii. ☒ Extension of time fee for two months extension (\$210)
  - iii. ☒ Other any other applicable fees.
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$\_\_ enclosed.
- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed).

DATE:

Aug 6, 2004

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